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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ALASKA

STATE OF ALASKA,)	
)	
Plaintiff,)	Case No. 3:5-cv-0073 (RRB)
)	
v.)	
)	
UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Gale A.)	
Norton, in her capacity as Secretary of the Interior;)	
and Michael C. Shupe, William C. Fejes, Kim)	
Dolphin, Brenda Fair, Dan Fair, Shany Fair,)	
Timothy Garnett, Deryl F. Krause, Lloyd D.)	
Swenson, Tim J. Swenson, Jack McManus,)	
Petro Star, Inc., Doyon Limited, Alaskan Northwest)	
Natural Gas Transportation Company, Yukon)	
Pacific Corporation, Sukakpak, Inc.,)	
)	
Defendant.)	

JOINT MOTION TO VACATE SCHEDULING ORDER

The parties move jointly for an order vacating the scheduling order (Docket # 45) as modified in this action. The parties are in the advanced stages of settlement negotiations. The exchange of final witness lists is currently due on October 30, 2006, and exchange of final witness reports on December 1, 2006. Judicial economy would be served by vacating the scheduling order. In the alternative, the parties move jointly for an order setting back each due date in the scheduling order by 28 days.

Counsel for the State of Alaska and Doyon Ltd. have reviewed this motion and authorized

the undersigned to file this motion as the joint motion of the parties.^{1/}

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED this 30th day of October, 2006, at Anchorage, Alaska.

s/ Bruce Landon

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I HEREBY CERTIFY that on this 30th day of October, 2006, a copy of the foregoing JOINT MOTION TO VACATE SCHEDULING ORDER and Proposed ORDER were served electronically to:

Elizabeth Barry

James Torgerson

s/ Bruce M. Landon

^{1/} The remaining defendants listed in the Complaint have either already settled with the State of Alaska or had default judgments entered against them.